

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: William J. Jetter et al.	)	
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Application No.: 10/707,593	)	Group Art Unit: 3687
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	)	Examiner: Oluseye Iwarere
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Filed: December 23, 2003	)	Confirmation No.: 1592
	)	
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD TO MANAGE	)	
SUPPLY CHAIN SETTLEMENT, RISK	)	
AND LIQUIDITY	)	

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***AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111***

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated as mailed May 12, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.